

In the Drawings:

Please add the enclosed drawing sheet which contains a new Figure 2. Figure 2 is supported by the claims as originally filed and coincides with the specification as amended herein.

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REMARKS***Specification***

In the Office Action, the Examiner objected to the specification for failing to provide proper antecedent basis for the claimed subject matter. The specification has been amended to overcome the Examiner's objections.

Drawings

Applicant submits herewith a new drawing sheet which contains Figure 2, which is a block diagram of a method which is in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention.

Claims

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 1-22 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter of the invention. The claims have been amended in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions and it is therefore respectfully requested that the Examiner's rejection be withdrawn.

Two new claims have been added. Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are allowable over the prior art of record.

Applicant wishes to point out that the Examiner indicated that the claims would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112. Therefore, in view of the above amendments, it is respectfully requested that the application be passed to issuance.


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Should the present claims not be deemed adequate to effectively define the patentable subject matter, the Examiner is respectfully urged to call the undersigned attorney of record to discuss the claims in an effort to reach an agreement toward allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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